

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**82478-5600**

In Re Application Of: **Hirotaa Matsumura**

Serial No.  
**10/797,323**

Filing Date  
**March 9, 2004**

Examiner  
**Takele, Meseke**

Group Art Unit  
**2174 (CN 4275)**

Invention: **INQUIRY PROCESSING APPARATUS**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **September 10, 2007** above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

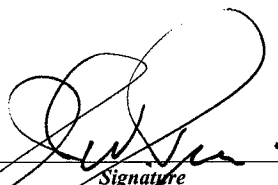
☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **December 10, 2007**  
*Date*

until: **February 10, 2008**  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$460** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-2814**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-2814**

  
*Signature*

Dated: **February 8, 2008**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on \_\_\_\_\_ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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